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The cutouts 13 are arranged on the same circumferential sections or segments S_2 as the tongues 6 and extend down to the respective bottom plate 19 of the central pressure element 7. Because of the cutout 13 each bottom plate 19 is delimited ~~downwardly~~ outwardly by a free edge. This free edge serves as a bending location 18 for improved spring action of the tongues 6. Each tongue 6 is therefore arranged centrally between its two bending locations 18 in the edge area of the bottom plate 19.

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Fig. 4 best illustrates the function of the compressions zone 15. When the fastening zone 3 is lowered by applying the force F by at least the height H of the stored data disk 1 along the central axis A in the vertical direction, the radial spacing between the inner end 8a of the slightly V-shaped radial sections 8 and the rigid support 16 ~~decreases~~ is changed. The compensation of the resulting length difference is ~~taken-over~~ compensated by the compression zone 15 that, upon lowering as well as lifting of the fastening zone 3, behaves like a compensation spring in the radial direction. By means of the compression zone 15, overloads of the radial section 8 and of the support 16, even in the case of improper handling, are prevented, for example, when the pressure is not applied centrally onto the central pressure element 7.